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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This paper responds to the non-final Office action, mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 14, 2006, in connection with the patent application identified above.

A petition for a three-month extension of time and authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1721 the corresponding fees is provided herein. Should any additional fee be required with the filing of these papers that has not been paid, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1721.

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